

SECTION-I

2. Answer any FIVE (5) of the following questions: (10)

(i) Why did the Quraish think that the Rasool (ﷺ) would favour them?

Ans The Quraish thought that Hazrat Usama bin Zaid (رضي الله عنه) intercession on behalf of the guilty woman would save her from punishment and the Holy Prophet (ﷺ) would favour her.

(ii) What do the little red envelopes filled with money symbolize?

Ans The little red envelopes filled with money symbolize wealth and prosperity for the New Year.

(iii) What kind of person is the author? (Little Boy Little One Walks Far!)

Ans The author is a very wise, intelligent, ambitious and hardworking person. He thinks and acts differently.

(iv) Why is it important to consider the scope of an field?

Ans We not only earn money from our career but also mental peace and satisfaction. So, it is important to consider the scope of any field before choosing a career.

(v) How many times should we try and why?

Ans We should always keep trying till we achieve our goal.

(vi) Why do some people read more than one newspapers?

Ans The people get different viewpoints of the story to reach the reality and validity. It is why, they read more than one newspaper.

(vii) How are water resources under great stress?

Ans Water resources are under great stress as overpopulated cities, states and countries require and withdraw more water from rivers, lakes and streams every year.

(viii) Why did the old man hurl a stone at the camel?

Ans He hurled a stone at the camel because it nipped a few leaves off the hanging branch of his tree.

SECTION-II

3. Translate into Urdu. (8)

On the eve of the Chinese New Year, it is customary to visit relatives and partake in a large dinner where a number of specific foods are served. It is typical for a Chinese family to make eight to nine dishes for the New Year's Eve dinner because in Chinese language the word "eight" means "prosperity" and the word "nine" means "long-lasting".

Ans

ترجمہ:

چینی سال نو کے موقع پر رشتہ داروں سے ملنے اور شام کے ایک بڑے کھانے میں شرکت کا رواج ہے، جہاں مخصوص کھانوں سے تواضع کی جاتی ہے۔ ایک چینی خاندان کے لیے سال نو کی شام آٹھ سے نو کھانے بنانا عام روایت ہے، کیونکہ چینی زبان میں لفظ "آٹھ" کا مطلب "خوشحالی" اور لفظ "نو" کا مطلب "پائیدار ہونا" ہے۔

OR

Re-write into simple English the following paragraph:

Ans Simple English:

On the Chinese New Year evening, it's a part of Chinese tradition to visit their relatives and attend large

dinner functions which have specific food items to be served. A Chinese family usually cooks Eight to Nine dishes to serve their visitors on the eve of New Year because in Chinese language the word "Eight" stands for "prosperity" and the word "Nine" stands for "long-lasting".

4. Write down the summary of the poem "The Rain" written by W.H. Davies. (5)

Ans For Answer see Paper 2016 (Group-I), Q.4.

OR

Paraphrase the following lines into simple English with reference to the context:

Once or twice though you should fail,
If you would at last prevail,

Try again.

If we strive, 'tis no disgrace
Though we did not win the race --
What should you do in that case?

Try again.

Ans For Answer see Paper 2017 (Group-II), Q.4.(OR).

5. Write an essay of 150-200 words on any ONE of the following topics: (15)

- (a) My Last Day at School
- (b) A Scene at a Railway Station
- (c) My Ambition

Ans (a) My Last Day at School

For Answer see Paper 2020 (Group-I), Q.5.(c).

(b) A Scene at a Railway Station

The platform of a railway station becomes crowded with men, women and children, when some train is due to arrive or leave. There is a great hustle and bustle on the platform. Passengers and other people who have come to

receive their relatives and guests wait impatiently for the train. Some stay close to their luggage, others walk about aimlessly.

The vendors are crying at the top of their voices. They are selling meals, sweets, fruit, tea and cold drinks.

Soon the train arrives. The porters in their red shirts and the railway staff move about in great hurry. Some passengers get down and others board the train. A hawker is selling newspapers, magazines and fictions. He hurries from door to door. The passengers alighting from the train go out. The guard whistles. The signal is down. The train begins to move. After a short time, the platform looks as deserted as before.

(c) My Ambition

For Answer see Paper 2018 (Group-I), Q.5.(c).

OR

Write a paragraph of 100-150 words on any ONE of the following topics:

- (a) Girl Guides (b) A Road Accident
(c) A Picnic

Ans

(a) Girl Guides

For Answer see Paper 2019 (Group-I), Q.5.(a)(OR).

(b) A Road Accident

For Answer see Paper 2018 (Group-I), Q.5.(c)(OR).

(c) A Picnic

We decided to go out for picnic at the Jallo Park last Friday. The rainy season had washed the trees and carpeted the ground with green grass. We took with us some fruit, sweets and utensils. We reached there and selected a beautiful spot for camping. A sheet was spread out and we put all our luggage there. The park was clean and flowers were glowing everywhere. The waves were

jumping and dancing in the lake. Everyone was happy and cheerful. We ran around like deer and inhaled fresh air. We then collected dry wood and helped our female members to cook food. We played Football, Chess, Cards, Luddo, etc. After two hours, we felt hungry. Amid the radio-tape and music play, we ate a hearty meal. After meals, we all once again set out for enjoyment here and there. The nature was at its best and we enjoyed a lot.

In the afternoon, we had tea with sizzling fritter pakoras. The shades of night were falling and we returned home happily. This was really the happiest day of my life.

6. Change any FIVE of the following sentences into indirect form: (5)

- (i) He said, "I have returned the books."
- (ii) He said to the stranger, "I do not recognize you."
- (iii) He said, "I am watering the plants in the garden."
- (iv) The teacher said, "Whose book is it?"
- (v) He said to his sister, "Please say something."
- (vi) You have said, "They are waiting outside."
- (vii) He said, "May Allah help me do my duty."
- (viii) He said, "Hurrah! I have won the medal."

Ans

- (i) He said that he had returned the books.
- (ii) He told the stranger that he did not recognize him.
- (iii) He said that he was watering the plants in the garden.
- (iv) The teacher asked whose book that was.
- (v) He requested his sister to say something.
- (vi) You have said that they are waiting outside.
- (vii) He prayed that Allah might help him do his duty.
- (viii) He exclaimed with joy that he had won the medal.

7. Use any FIVE of the following pair of words in your own sentences: (5)

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| (i) Bale, Bail | (ii) Cell, Sell |
| (iii) Dew, Due | (iv) Gate, Gait |
| (v) Loose, Lose | (vi) Pore, Pour |
| (vii) Vain, Vein | (viii) Miner, Minor |

Ans

- (i) **Bale:** I bought two *bales* of cotton.
Bail: He applied for *bail*.
- (ii) **Cell:** He is still in the *cell*.
Sell: I will *sell* this book.
- (iii) **Dew:** Dew drops fell at night.
Due: He could not come to school *due* to illness.
- (iv) **Gate:** The *gate* of the house is not wide.
Gait: Walk with a noble *gait*.
- (v) **Loose:** It is a fashion to wear *loose* shirts.
Lose: Do not *lose* courage.
- (vi) **Pore:** Our skin has *pores* on it.
Pour: She *pours* tea into the cup.
- (vii) **Vain:** The thirsty crow searched for water everywhere but all in *vain*.
Vein: Our body has countless *veins*.
- (viii) **Miner:** A *miner* died in the mine.
Minor: She is still a *minor*.

8. Translate the following paragraph into English: (8)

یہ سردیوں کی رات تھی۔ ہم سو رہے تھے۔ یکایک کسی نے دروازہ کھٹکھٹایا۔ میں اور میرے والد اٹھ بیٹھے۔ ہم نے سوچا یہ کوئی چور ہوگا۔ اس لیے ہم نے بندوق لی اور دروازے پر آگئے۔ میرے والد نے پوچھا "دروازے پر کون ہے؟" جواب ملا میں

ایک غریب آدمی ہوں اور بھوکا ہوں۔ ہم نے دروازہ کھولا۔ اس کو اندر لے آئے
اور کچھ کھانے کو دیا۔ اس نے ہمارا شکریہ ادا کیا اور چلا گیا۔

Ans Translation:

It was a winter night. We were sleeping. Suddenly, someone knocked at the door. My father and I got up. We thought that it would be a thief. So we took gun and came to the door. My father asked, "Who is at the door?" The answer was, "I am a poor and hungry man." We opened the door, got him in and gave him something to eat. He thanked us and went away.

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8. Write Ten sentences about "Fashion". (8)

Ans

Fashion

For Answer see Paper 2016 (Group-II), Q.5.(b)(OR).

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